

A-37. Unemployed persons by occupation, industry, and duration of unemployment

| Occupation and industry | April 2010 | | | | | | | |
|--|---------------------------------|-------------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | Thousands of persons unemployed | | | | | | Weeks of unemployment | |
| | Total | Less than 5 weeks | 5 to 14 weeks | 15 weeks and over | | | Average (mean) duration | Median duration |
| | | | | Total | 15 to 26 weeks | 27 weeks and over | | |
| OCCUPATION | | | | | | | | |
| Management, professional, and related occupations | 2,464 | 363 | 434 | 1,668 | 412 | 1,256 | 37.1 | 28.2 |
| Management, business, and financial operations occupations | 1,139 | 144 | 202 | 794 | 180 | 614 | 38.1 | 32.3 |
| Professional and related occupations | 1,325 | 219 | 232 | 874 | 231 | 642 | 36.2 | 25.6 |
| Service occupations | 2,733 | 496 | 508 | 1,730 | 532 | 1,197 | 33.0 | 22.1 |
| Sales and office occupations | 3,173 | 513 | 591 | 2,069 | 551 | 1,519 | 35.7 | 25.6 |
| Sales and related occupations | 1,554 | 274 | 330 | 951 | 270 | 681 | 32.3 | 21.9 |
| Office and administrative support occupations | 1,619 | 239 | 261 | 1,119 | 281 | 838 | 38.9 | 29.4 |
| Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations | 2,673 | 478 | 428 | 1,767 | 562 | 1,204 | 34.1 | 22.4 |
| Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations | 193 | 66 | 38 | 89 | 41 | 48 | 22.6 | 13.0 |
| Construction and extraction occupations | 1,931 | 335 | 324 | 1,272 | 431 | 842 | 33.5 | 21.7 |
| Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations | 549 | 78 | 66 | 405 | 91 | 315 | 40.0 | 34.7 |
| Production, transportation, and material moving occupations .. | 2,478 | 254 | 389 | 1,835 | 463 | 1,372 | 40.8 | 33.4 |
| Production occupations | 1,252 | 123 | 184 | 945 | 199 | 746 | 41.6 | 38.1 |
| Transportation and material moving occupations | 1,226 | 131 | 204 | 890 | 264 | 626 | 39.9 | 28.9 |
| INDUSTRY ¹ | | | | | | | | |
| Agriculture and related industries | 235 | 74 | 37 | 124 | 50 | 73 | 24.6 | 15.7 |
| Mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction | 69 | 5 | 17 | 47 | 1 | 46 | (²) | (²) |
| Construction | 1,939 | 299 | 333 | 1,308 | 461 | 846 | 32.9 | 21.9 |
| Manufacturing | 1,706 | 190 | 227 | 1,289 | 263 | 1,026 | 42.6 | 39.4 |
| Durable goods | 1,115 | 119 | 120 | 876 | 178 | 698 | 43.6 | 41.4 |
| Nondurable goods | 591 | 71 | 107 | 413 | 85 | 328 | 40.7 | 34.6 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | 1,992 | 362 | 358 | 1,271 | 339 | 932 | 35.6 | 24.4 |
| Transportation and utilities | 568 | 50 | 73 | 446 | 121 | 325 | 45.7 | 38.2 |
| Information | 311 | 36 | 59 | 216 | 53 | 164 | 38.2 | 30.5 |
| Financial activities | 725 | 94 | 122 | 509 | 147 | 362 | 36.7 | 27.3 |
| Professional and business services | 1,606 | 221 | 309 | 1,076 | 252 | 824 | 35.5 | 28.0 |
| Education and health services | 1,358 | 253 | 256 | 849 | 236 | 613 | 33.7 | 22.7 |
| Leisure and hospitality | 1,675 | 287 | 322 | 1,066 | 335 | 731 | 32.8 | 22.2 |
| Other services | 519 | 94 | 88 | 338 | 107 | 231 | 35.8 | 22.0 |
| Public administration | 222 | 30 | 33 | 158 | 43 | 115 | 38.4 | 29.2 |
| No previous work experience | 1,047 | 195 | 235 | 617 | 158 | 458 | 33.3 | 24.3 |

¹ Includes wage and salary workers only.

² Data not shown where base is less than 75,000.

NOTE: Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data. Effective with January 2009 data, industries reflect the

introduction of the 2007 Census industry classification system into the Current Population Survey. This industry classification system is derived from the 2007 North American Industry Classification System. No historical data have been revised.